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Applicant(s): Jean-Noël Audoux et al.

Invention: METHODS FOR MANUFACTURING A TAPE AND A SMARTCARD

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 31, 2006, please reconsider this application in view of the following.